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NOTES IN SEASON.

CUPPLES & HURD will publish at once a cheap edition of "The Story of an African Farm;" also, an illustrated guide to the Island of Bermuda, by James H. Stark; and the third edition of John E. Curran's popular novel, entitled "Miss Frances Merley."

WM. S. GOTTSBERGER publishes to-day an "Iceland Fisherman" (Pêcheur d'Islande), a story of love on land and sea, by Pierre Loti, author of "Lands of Exile," etc., translated from the French by Clara Cadiot. Pierre Loti is the *nom de guerre* of M. Louis Marie Julian Viand, a comparatively young man, employed in the French Ministry of the Marine.

FREDERICK A. STOKES & BROTHER announce "The Life of Grover Cleveland," by William O. Stoddard, the author of the other volumes in their series of *Lives of the Presidents of the United States*. Mr. Stoddard has given the greatest possible care and labor to this work. It will be well illustrated, and is to be published in a variety of editions.

T. B. PETERSON & BROS. have just ready new and cheaper editions of Mrs. Emma D. E. N. Southworth's most popular copyright novels, "The Maiden Widow" and "The Family Doom." They also issue cheap editions of Zola's "Nana," "L'Assommoir," "La Terre," and "Nana's Daughter," to sell at twenty-five cents. They have in press "The Dream," by Emile Zola, translated by George D. Cox.

GINN & Co. will publish early next month "Footprints of Travel, or, journeying in many lands," by Maturin M. Ballou, author of "Due West" and other books of travel. The purpose of this work is to furnish a reader for use in the public schools which shall at once interest and instruct the pupil. The author depicts foreign countries and famous cities, describing land and ocean travel all over the world, in a manner calculated to fix geographical and other facts upon the mind of the reader by their pleasant association with charming scenery, historic events, and vivid adventures. The publishers claim that though this book is so comprehensive, still the author writes of no islands, continents, or seas, no remarkable monuments or interesting localities, which he has not personally visited.

TICKNOR & Co. have ready to-day "A Sea Change, or, love's stowaway," by W. D. Howells, a light opera of which the scene is laid on board an ocean steamer that meets an iceberg from which emerge fairies and other strange folk to add to the complications on board ship. This will be brought out in *Little Classic* style by the Ticknors, and will also be issued with words and music complete, arranged for piano accompaniment, by A. P. Schmidt & Co. "A Mexican Girl," by Frederick Thickstun, a Californian, tells a story of life in the high Sierras, and of the love-making of a Spanish-American senorita and a transplanted New England school-master; "A History of Presidential Elections," by Edward Stanwood, appears in a new and enlarged edition, and Samuel Merrill, of the Boston *Globe*, issues a handbook for the press, entitled "A Newspaper Libel."

NOTES ON AUTHORS.

JOHN S. SHRIVER, of the Baltimore *American*, has just finished a novel, entitled "Alnust."

A SON of Count von Arnim is seeing through the press what the London *World* calls an "Anti-Bismarckian volume."

STUART CUMBERLAND, the "thought-reader," is about to publish a volume on "Famous Men I Have Known."

MR. JAMES HUNTER, well known as the editor of Ogilvie's Imperial Dictionary and of the supplement to Worcester's Dictionary, has accepted an editorial position on the *American Notes and Queries*, of Philadelphia.

IT is now announced that the author of "From 18 to 20," the new society novel whose authorship has puzzled all Philadelphia, is Miss Elizabeth Jaudon Sellers, the young daughter of David W. Sellers, Esq., one of the leaders of the Philadelphia bar, and law partner of Judge Mitchell. The first edition of this book was exhausted within two days after publication, and the second was all sold in advance of delivery.

WEEKLY RECORD OF NEW PUBLICATIONS.*

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Allen, W: F., *and* Myers, P. V. N. Ancient history for colleges and high schools. Pt. 1: The eastern nations and Greece, by P. V. N. Myers. Bost., Ginn & Co., 1888. c. 9+479 p. il. D. cl., $1.55.

According to the publishers' announcement this work was to consist of two parts, the first covering the Eastern nations and Greece, by the President of Belmont College, Ohio; the second dealing with Rome, by Prof. Allen, of Wisconsin University. Owing to the illness of the latter his work could not be completed in time, and the part of President Myers' "Outlines of ancient history" relating to Rome has been revised and temporarily substituted. Prof. Allen's work may be expected early in 1889, and will then at once replace the second part of this volume.

Allinson, E: P., *and* Penrose, Boies. Ground rents in Philadelphia. Phil., Univ. of Penna., [Phil., Porter & Coates; N. Y., G. E. Stechert,] 1888. 19 p. O. (Publications of Univ. of Penna. —Political economy and law ser., ed. by E. J. James, no. 3.) pap., 25 c.

The authors, both of whom are members of the Philadelphia Bar, treat of ground rents in Philadelphia, that device by which the acquisition of real estate has been made so easy to people of moderate means that Philadelphia has become known as par excellence the "City of Homes," having more separate dwelling-houses in proportion to its population than any other great city of the world. It has a special interest for legal and economic students. The essay was first read before the students and professors of the Wharton School of Finance and Political Economy, in February, 1888, and published in the *Quarterly Journal of Economics.*

Bancroft, Hubert H. California pastoral, 1769–1848. San Francisco, Cal., The History Company, 1888. c. 808 p. O. cl., $4.50; leath., $5.50; hf. cf., hf. rus., or hf. mor., $8; rus. mor. or tree cf., $10.

A most interesting résumé of the manners and customs, government, and life of the settlers of California, preceded by a glance at life and society as it existed in Spain and Mexico, which places and conditions were more intimately than any others connected with the spiritual conquest and occupation of Alta California in the 18th century. No phase of life in the section mentioned seems to have been overlooked by this indefatigable writer, and all has been exhaustively and most graphically described. The value of the work is enhanced by a descriptive bibliography of California and a glossary.

Barrett, Frank. By misadventure. Chic., Rand, McNally & Co., 1888. 184 p. D. (Globe lib., no. 68.) pap., 25 c.

Barrett, Frank. Lieutenant Barnabas. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1888.] 2+292 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 1130.) pap., 20 c.

Bonham, J: M. Industrial liberty. N. Y., G: P. Putnam's sons, 1888. c. 9+414 p. D. cl., $1.75.

The author has kept in view the principles rather than the statistics, and has made an analysis of the salient political and industrial evils of the day, suggesting many practical remedies. Herbert Spencer is freely quoted. The effects of protection, "trusts," railway legislation, paternal government, etc., upon the industrial questions of the day are made clear, and the author aims to have his statements thoroughly discussed and hopes he may have helped to explain some principles upon which modern industry, in order to be wholesome, must rest.

Booth, *Mrs.* Otto, ["Rita," *pseud.*] Countess Daphne. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1888.] 3–319 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 1155.) pap., 20 c.

Booth, *Mrs.* Otto, ["Rita," *pseud.*] My Lord Conceit: a novel. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1888.] 3–349 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 1173.) pap., 20 c.

Bowser, E: A. Academic algebra for the use of common and high schools and academies, with numerous examples. N. Y., D. Van Nostrand, 1888. c. 14+352 p. D. cl., $1.50.

The "Academic algebra" is designed as a text-book for common and high schools and academies, and to prepare students for entering colleges and scientific schools. The book is a complete treatise on algebra up to and through the Progressions, containing thus far precisely the same subjects and the same treatment of them that are found in the College algebra. For students who have not sufficient time to take the College algebra, this perhaps is the better book; but those who contemplate entering college, or who wish to take a complete course in algebra, may as well begin at once with the larger book.

Bowser, E· A. College algebra, for the use of academies, colleges, and scientific schools, with numerous examples. N. Y., D. Van Nostrand, 1888. c. 18+540 p. D. cl., $2.

The "College algebra," designed as a text-book for academies, colleges, and scientific schools, begins at the beginning of the subject, and the full treatment of the earlier parts renders it unnecessary that students who use it shall have previously studied a more elementary algebra. In order to lead the student to see and feel that he can use his knowledge to some practical end, the author has introduced a chapter on easy equations and problems before the chapters on factoring and fractions, which enables the student early to become acquainted with some of the most interesting practical applications of the subject. A good deal of stress is laid on solving quadratic and other equations by means of factors which are often obvious on inspection. The examples are very numerous. Each set is carefully graded, beginning with those which are very easy, and proceeding to others which are more difficult. The large number of examples is given for the convenience of the instructor, that he may have, year by year, a sufficient variety from which to select, to prevent mere rote-work on the part of his pupils.

Braddon, *Miss* M. E., [*now Mrs.* J: Maxwell.] The fatal three: a novel. N. Y., G: Munro, [1888.] 3–357 p. S. (Seaside lib., *pocket ed.*, no. 1098.) pap., 20 c.

Braeme, Charlotte M., ["Bertha M. Clay," *pseud.*] Lady Hutton's ward. Chic., Rand, McNally & Co., 1888. 3–204 p. D. (Globe lib., no. 69.) pap., 25 c.

C. *and* C. Two gentlemen of Gotham. N. Y., Cassell & Co., [1888.] c. '87. 2+344 p. D. (Cassell's sunshine ser., v. 1, no. 12.) pap., 50 c.

Noticed in P. W., April 2, 1887, no. 792.

Collins, Wilkie. The legacy of Cain. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1888.] 3–301 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 1176.) pap., 20 c.

Cook, Albert S. The phonological investigation of old English, illustrated by a series of fifty problems. Bost., Ginn & Co., 1888. c. 26 p. S. pap., 10 c.

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Cooper, J. Fenimore. The deerslayer; or, the first war-path: a tale. N. Y., G: Munro, [1888.] 2 v., 3–247; 247–472 p. S. (Seaside lib., *pocket ed.*, no. 1062.) pap., *ea.*, 20 c.

Dalzell, Ja. M. Private Dalzell; his autobiography, poems, and comic war papers; sketch of J: Gray, Washington's last soldier, etc.: a centennial souvenir. Cin., Rob. Clarke & Co., 1888. c. 1+242 p. por. and il. D. cl., $1.

This book is published for the benefit of the wife and children of the writer. Private Dalzell was born in 1838 in Pittsburg, Pa. His father had been a distiller, but, convinced that it was wrong to manufacture intoxicating liquors, he abandoned his trade and began as a carpet-weaver. Young Dalzell taught school to earn enough for a college education, and struggled with poverty and sickness until 1862, when he entered the army, in which he continued to the close of the war. Then he went to Washington and became acquainted with all the celebrities of the day. His account is full of fun, humor, and pathos. Many of his poems and letters are scattered through the text. He claims no private is ever thought highly of in America, only officers receive consideration.

Dod, S. Bayard. Stubble or wheat? a story of more lives than one. N. Y., A. D. F. Randolph & Co., [1888.] c. 264 p. D. cl., $1.25.

An advertisement of "a man found drowned and buried in Potter's Field" catches the eye of a city merchant, who goes to the wharf specified, and, finding some pieces of a torn letter, recognizes the handwriting of a friend's wife, has the body disinterred and identified as that of his schoolmate and life-long friend. The history of the suicide is then given. Wealthy, uncongenial parents, a loveless home, an ideal school-life in Hudson, college years at Princeton, loss of parents, pessimistic influences, undigested reading of Schopenhauer, etc. Although happily married, the unhappy man always saw only the "stubble" of the world. He tried various experiments of suicide, which are described in detail. Comparisons of Harvard and Yale universities and an argument on the true motive of Lessing's "Nathan, the wise," make interesting chapters. The author writes with the purpose to show that views of the world can be cultivated which will make all its unexplained mysteries either nourishing "wheat" or unsatisfying "stubble."

Drift of the age, viewed from the higher levels: shall America's civilization stand for base uses? (Pith of the celebrated Dix lenten lectures, with quotations bearing on the subject from other authors.) Springfield, Mass., [N. Y., Am. News Co.] 32 p. obl. T. pap., 10 c.

Du Boisgobey, Fortuné. The detective's eye; [from the French.] N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1888.] 3–112 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 1146.) pap., 10 c.

Du Boisgobey, Fortuné. The Matapan affair; from the French, by Laura E. Kendall. 2 pts. Pt. 2. N. Y., G: Munro, [1888.] 176–347 p. S. (Seaside lib., *pocket ed.*, no. 1085.) pap., 20 c.

Du Boisgobey, Fortuné. The results of a duel; [from the French.] N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1888.] 2–208 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 1174.) pap., 20 c.

Ebers, G: An Egyptian princess. N. Y., G: Munro, [1888.] 2 v., 3–193; 193–411 p. S. (Seaside lib., *pocket ed.*, no. 1101.) pap., *ea.*, 20 c.

Emerton, Ephraim. Introduction to the study of the Middle Ages, (375–814.) Bost., Ginn & Co., 1888. c. 18+268 p. D. cl., $1.25.

An epitome of Roman history from the battle of Adrianople, 378, to the death of Charlemagne, 814. Gives an account of the settlement of Germanic peoples on Roman soil, the gradual rise of the Frankish supremacy, the growth of the Christian church, the monastic life, the Roman papacy, and the culmination of all in the Empire of Charlemagne. The author is Professor of history at Harvard. Maps, chronological tables, a full index, and lists of suitable collateral reading add to its usefulness as a text-book.

Ewing, Juliana Horatio. Snapdragons, a tale of Christmas eve; [*also,*] Old Father Christmas, an old-fashioned tale of the young days of a grumpy old godfather; il. by Gordon Browne. N. Y., E. & J. B. Young & Co., [1888.] 68 p. sq. O. pap., *net*, 30 c.

How Mr. and Mrs. Skratdj disagreed and contradicted, how the little male and female Skratdj bickered and spatted, how the Skratdj servants and dogs and cats snapped and snarled, is told in the inimitable manner of the author of "Jackanapes." A dream on Christmas eve cured the little male Skratdj first, and for fear of going to the Snapdragons the whole family slowly reformed. The second story relates of a sad accident which befell old Father Christmas. He managed, however, to keep his promise and provide a tree, but he never came again. His little dog was left as a comforter to the disillusioned children.

Farjeon, B. L. Doctor Glennie's daughter: a story of real life. Chic., Rand, McNally & Co., 1888. 162 p. D. (Globe lib., no. 72.) pap., 25 c.

Gaboriau, Emile. The slaves of Paris; [from the French.] N. Y., G: Munro, [1888.] 2 v., 3–342; 343–673 p. S. (Seaside lib., *pocket ed.*, no. 1078.) pap., *ea.*, 20 c.

Giffin, W: M. Civics for young Americans. N. Y., A. Lovell & Co., [1888.] c. '87. 117 p. sq. D. cl., 60 c.

Contains a brief description of the different forms of government, and a full and clear explanation of the important clauses of our constitution. The author keeps well in mind the capacity of young intellects and treats his subject simply, both in choice of words and arrangement of thought.

Hale, E: Everett. How they lived in Hampton: a study of practical Christianity applied in the manufacture of woollens. Bost., J. Stilman Smith & Co., 3 Hamilton Place. 6+281 p. D. cl., $1.

Another contribution to the study of economic truths in the line of the author's "Tom Torrey's tariff talks." It may briefly be described as an essay in fiction on the Christian relations of the capitalist and the workman. In his story, "Back to back," published in *Harper's Magazine* in 1873, Mr. Hale blocked out a plan described in this book to conduct a woollen mill, the result of which was that he was invited by the proprietors of three different woollen mills to take them, and carry them on on the plan proposed. He did not feel equal to the task, because, as he says, "I was not trained to the woollen manufacture;" but in this book he makes a "Mr. Spinner" accept one of these offers with the happiest results in coöperative production. The details bearing on the business of manufacture are carefully described, and have, as the author claims, the authority of a well-known and successful manufacturer of woollens.

Hale, W: Gardner. Aims and methods of classical study. Bost., Ginn & Co., 1888. 47 p. S. pap., 20 c.

A reply to a pamphlet published by Prof. E. P. Morris, of Williams College, who claims that "we no longer study Latin in our schools in order to learn Latin; we study it and teach it with primary reference to the science of philology." The author, who is Prof. of Latin language and literature at Cornell University, agrees partially with the statement, but foresees a totally different future, in which the linguistics and literature of Rome shall again inspire the modern collegian.

Hannington, *Bp.* Ja. Last journals: being narratives of a journey through Palestine, 1884, and a journey through Masai-land, and U-Soga, 1885; ed. by E. C. Dawson. N. Y., E. & J. B. Young & Co., 1888. 17+239 p. il. D. cl., $1.25.

The editor of these journals of the last days of the devoted first missionary bishop of Equatorial Africa has already published "The life and work of Bishop Hannington" in two large volumes. These selections from the diaries are illustrated from the bishop's sketches. They give a startling picture of the trials and sufferings from heat, hunger, danger, and exposure, before all was ended by murder.

Hurd, R: M. History of Yale athletics, 1840–'88, giving every contest with Harvard, Princeton, Pennsylvania, Columbia, Wesleyan, and

others in rowing, foot-ball, base-ball, track athletics, and tennis. New Haven, Conn., R: M. Hurd, 241 Lawrance Hall, Yale Univ., [1888.] c. 132 p. O. cl., $1.50.

Gives complete tables of statistics of every contest in which Yale has taken part, many illustrations, and a general review of the introduction of each separate game into the college. Blank pages are provided for additional memoranda.

Kerr, Robert P. The people's history of Presbyterianism in all ages. Richmond, Va., Presbyterian Committee of Publication, 1888. c. 284 p. il. D. cl., $1.25.

Voluminous histories of Presbyterianism have been written covering every age and country in which that church has had existence. The author now aims in one work to give an outline of the principles, influence, and general history of this far-reaching religious institution, in the hope that the many will note its most important events and characters. The notes and statistic tables at the end are very full. Frontispiece of John Calvin.

Knoflach, Augustin. Spanish simplified: concise and lucid explanation of the principles of the Spanish language, accompanied by numerous examples and exercises, forming a complete course of instruction for the purposes of reading, business, and travel; especially intended for self-instruction, but equally well adapted for use in class-rooms. *New ed.* In 12 pts. Pts. 10–12. N. Y., A. Knoflach, P. O. box 1550, [University Pub. Co.,] 1888. c. '84, '87. 145–196 p. + 10 p. of key, D. pap., *ea.*, 10 c.

Landau, *Baron* W: von. Travels in Asia, Australia, and America, comprising the period between 1879 and 1887. N. Y., G: Landau, 107 St. Mark's Place, 1888. c. 3 pts., 387 p. S. pap., (*printed for private circulation.*)

Although written only from the standpoint of a tourist, these travels contain so much valuable statistical and geographical data as to have earned honorable mention by the Gesellschaft für Erdkunde, Berlin, Prof. Virchow, and others.

Lean, *Mrs.* Francis, [*formerly* Florence Marryat.] Driven to bay: a novel. N. Y., G: Munro, [1888.] 3–261 p. S. (Seaside lib., *pocket ed.*, no. 1022.) pap., 20 c.

Little, W. J. Knox-. The child of Stafferton: a chapter from a family chronicle. N. Y., E. & J. B. Young & Co., 1888. 12+330 p. D. cl., 75 c.

A companion story to "A broken vow." The same element of the supernatural is woven into this story of succession to large English estates. The heir apparent always bore the name of "the child of Stafferton" and according to the laws of entail must be a boy. The heroine of the story, however, was thus called by her uncle, there being at the time no such heir. A romantic love story brings in the hero, whose birth is shadowed in mystery. He comes from Italy, and the story plays between England and Italy. Many comparisons between the Roman and English churches afford Canon Knox-Little opportunities to speak his well-known ideas about the Catholic and apostolic church.

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Urinalysis. *See* Woody, S. E.

Van Buren, Martin. Shepard, E. M. $1.25. *Houghton, M*

Vegetables, Dressed. *See* Salis, Harriet A. de.

Venable, W. H. Footprints of the pioneers in the Ohio Valley. (Jl14) D. $1.....*Clarke*

Verses on various occasions. Newman, J. H. $2. *Longmans, G*

Vicar of Wakefield. Goldsmith, O. $1.....*Nelson*

Victories of love. Patmore, Coventry. p. 10c..*Cassell*

Virginia (A) inheritance. Pendleton, E. $1; p. 50c. *Appleton*

Virginia of Virginia. Rives, A. $1.....*Harper*

Vivienne. Booth, *Mrs.* O. p. 20c.. ....*Lovell*

Volapuk. *See* Rellye, J.

Walker, F. A. Manual laboring class. (Am. Economic Assoc.) (Jl14) O. (Pubs. v. 3, no. 3.) p. 75c.*Murphy*

Wallace, Susan E. Land of the Pueblos. (Jl28) D. 75c..... .. ..*Alden*

Walworth, *Mrs.* J. H. Silent witness. (Jl7) D. Cassel's rainbow ser., v. 1, no. 25.) p. $1; 50c... ....*Cassell*

Ward, *Mrs.* H. Robert Elsmere. (Jl28) D. $1.50. *Macmillan*

Water-lily. Waters, F. $1.....*Durie*

Waters, F. The water-lily. (Jl14) D. $1.....*Durie*

Watson, R. A. Gospels of yesterday. (Jl28) D. $1.25. *Whittaker*

Wentworth, G. A. Text-book of geometry. *Rev. ed.* (Jl28) D. $1.25..... .....*Ginn*

West Virginia. *Sup. ct.* Rpts. (Caldwell). V. 29. (Jl28) O. shp. $4.50.....*McKinney*

Westbrook, R. B. Girard's will and Girard College theology. (Jl14) S. $1.....*Westbrook*

Western reporter, v. 12. (Desty and Ray.) (Jl14) O. shp. $5.....*Lawyer's Co-operative Pub. Co*

Wheeler, W. H. Drainage of fens and low lands by gravitation. (Jl28) O. $4.....*Spon*

When to trust Jesus. K. p. 50c.....*Nelson*

Why weepest thou? (Jl28) S. $1.....*Nelson*

William I. Mayhew, A. 60c.....*Nelson*

Winter (A) picnic. Dickinson, J. $1.....*Holt*

With the immortals. Crawford, F. M. $2..*Macmillan*

Wood, Clara W. Topics in ancient history. (Jl28) D. p. 20c..... .....*Ginn*

Wood, hay, and stubble. Hamilton, Kate W. $1.25. *Presb. Bd. of Pub*

Woody, S. E. Essentials of medical chemistry and urinalysis. *2d ed.* (Jl14) D. $1.25.....*Morton*

Woolf, S. Elementary course in descriptive geometry. (Jl14) O. $3..... .....*Wiley*

Yachtsman's (The) annual guide and nautical calendar, 1888. (Jl28) O. p. 25c.....*M. J. Kiley, pr*

Young Mr. Barter's repentance. Murray, D. C. p. 10c. *Munro*

LIST OF NEW ENGLISH BOOKS.

Published from July 2 to 16, 1888. Selected from the [*London*] "*Publishers' Circular.*"

Bretschneider, E. Mediæval researches from eastern Asiatic sources: fragments towards the knowledge of the geography and history of central and western Asia, from the 13th to the 17th century. 2 v. 8°. 700 p, 21s. (Trübner's Oriental series.).....*Trübner.*

Fitzgerald, P. Chronicles of Bow Street Police Office: with an account of the magistrates, "runners," and police, and a selection of the most interesting cases. With numerous illustrations. 2 v. 8°. 650 p., 21s. *Chapman.*

Jonson, Ben. By John Addington Symonds. Post 8°. 202 p., 1s. 6d.; sewed, 1s. (English worthies.) *Longmans.*

Pfleiderer, O. The Philosophy of religion on the basis of history. Translated from the German of the second and greatly enlarged edition. Translated by Allan Menzies. 8°. 348 p., 10s. 6d....*Williams & Norgate.*

Tolstoi, *Count* Lyof. The dominion of darkness. A drama in five acts. Translated from the original Russian. Post 8°. 92 p., sewed 1s.....*Vizetelly.*

Williams, W. Incidents in the history of the Honorable Artillery Company, being an abridged version of Major Raikes' history of the company from its incorporation in 1587 to the present time (1887), and including also a brief history of the American branch of the regiment founded in 1638, and known as the Ancient and Honorable Company of Boston, Mass., U. S. A. With maps and illustrations. 8°. 220 p., 10s. 6d.....*Bentley.*

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All matter, whether for the reading-matter columns or our advertising pages, should reach this office not later than Wednesday noon, to insure insertion in the same week's issue.

"*Every man is a debtor to his profession, from the which, as men do of course seek to receive countenance and profit, so ought they of duty to endeavor themselves by way of amends to be a help thereunto.*"—LORD BACON.

THE PRESENT STATUS OF THE COPYRIGHT BILL.

THOSE who had hoped that the year 1888 would not close without seeing our country relieved from the disgrace that it is the only one among civilized nations which does not recognize the rights of literary property except among its own citizens, have much reason to be disappointed at the present status of the copyright bill in the lower House. It had been agreed among the friends of the measure that in case the course of events in the present session should make it impracticable to secure fair opportunity for a vote on the bill amidst the pressure of appropriation and political measures, there should be a postponement until early in the winter session, and, in accordance with this understanding, General Collins asked that December 5, at the very opening of the new session, should be designated for the discussion of this bill. It would have been a very happy consummation if, after the excitement of the Presidential election, whatever its result, both parties could have commenced the new session by agreeing to put so creditable a measure toward international copyright on the statute-book.

Unfortunately, under the absurd red tape rules of the House, which are admittedly framed to prevent business being done lest the wrong kind of business should be done, one member, Mr. Rogers, of Arkansas, interposed his objection to the consideration of the motion, and it was therefore not possible to bring it before the House. We have as yet no advices as to the reasons for Mr. Rogers' action, if any are known, but even if he is to be regarded as an opponent of the bill or of international copyright in any shape, it seems a pity that objection should have been made to the consideration of the bill under discussion. The present Congress will lose a great opportunity if it permits this bill to go unpassed. It is earnestly to be hoped, now that the course proposed proves impracticable, that some opportunity will be found during the present session to bring the question to a vote.

While it is understood that the essential features of this compromise measure, for such it confessedly is, could not well be seriously modified without endangering the general understanding of which it is the result, it is important that defects of drafting and inconsistency with the statute amended should be remedied in the House to make the bill work as smoothly as possible. Since the bill as passed by the Senate was to go into effect July 1, it must, when passed by the House, either go to a Conference Committee or be amended in the Senate to conform with the new date which may be designated in the House. This necessarily gives opportunity for the changes of which we speak. These being made, it is important that the bill should be passed essentially as agreed upon, by the consensus of those most interested in copyright. Otherwise the probability is that the hostile forces will be likely to array themselves again against each other, and that we should have two bills, one from the restrictive and one from the other side, combating each other, with lessened hope for the passage of either.

WE give elsewhere the decision of the Chicago court declining a temporary injunction to restrain the publishers in Chicago from putting on Mr. E. R. Roe's books the style of cover used on the books of the late E. P. Roe. In the absence of the full text of the Chicago decision, it is difficult to see whether the essential plea was grasped by the court. The despatches indicate the contrary. The one claim was that the Western publishers had imitated already published designs so as to deceive the public into the belief that they were purchasing a book by the more widely-known novelist, E. P. Roe. This, of course, has nothing to do with the literary merits of either of the novelists named, or the question of which was first in the field as an author. We give also, as bearing upon this question, the opinion by an eminent authority, Judge Fancher of this city, on whose advice the suit was brought. It is to the benefit of all fair dealing that the law should protect as fully as possible the rights of individuality in the domain of literature.

THE ROE COVER CONTROVERSY.

From the Chicago Globe, July 5.

THE injunction prayed for by Edward P. Roe to restrain Laird & Lee, of this city, from publishing the novel, "May and June," by the well-known writer of fiction and scientific works, Edward R. Roe, was denied by Master Waller, to whom it was referred by Judge Gresham. It appears that Col. E. R. Roe was first in the field as a writer of fiction, and Edward P. Roe's novel, "Barriers Burned Away," was sold largely in the West on the reputation of E. R. Roe's novel, "Virginia Rose," which appeared in 1851. When "Barriers Burned Away" came out, the writer was mistaken for Col. E. R. Roe, and the latter author received numerous letters congratulating him on his reappearance in the field of fiction. Judge Waller pronounced the suit of E. P. Roe the flimsiest pretence for an injunction ever brought before him.

OPINION OF JUDGE E. L. FANCHER.

In March last, Dodd, Mead & Company, of New York, published the first number of a Library of Fiction, containing a recent novel by the popular writer, Edward P. Roe, entitled "An Original Belle;" and they graced the cover of the publication with a tasteful design, that has been plagiarized by a later publication purporting to emanate from "Laird & Lee, publishers, Chicago," containing some writings by one Edward R. Roe.

The apparent intent of the latter is not only to copy the artistic design of the former publishers, but to imitate, as well, the name of the author of Dodd, Mead & Company's publication. No one can look at the covers of the two publications and fail to see evidence of a design to deceive the public and to infringe the rights of the publishers and author of the former publication.

After the title of the book on the cover, published by Dodd, Mead & Company, follow the words "by Edward P. Roe;" and this name of the author is printed within a circle of blue ground, flanked by some artistic scroll-work, chiefly at the left of the circle. The letters composing the author's name are in antique Roman, in three several lines within the blue circle. The letters that spell "Edward" are in the first line, and those after the E slope downward from the middle of that initial letter. The P is in the next line or middle, and the surname, Roe, with a long leg to the R, is in the last of the three lines.

The copied design on the Chicago book closely follows this description. The scroll-work is at the left of the blue circle; the method, arrangement, and character of the letters are imitated precisely from the genuine. The deceptive attempt of drawing a short dash under the R. of the second line in the imitation, so as probably to claim that it may be read Edward *R.* Roe, instead of Edward *P.* Roe, would not be apparent to any casual purchaser. But the public would, without doubt, be deceived into the belief, in the purchase from a book-stand of a book of spurious cover, that the popular writer, Edward P. Roe, was the author of it, when that would be a deception.

As the cover of their book is not protected by copyright, but only the book itself, Dodd, Mead & Co. have no remedy under the United States statute for infringement of their copyright. The fraud does not extend to the letter-press of the book, but only to the cover.

Yet they are not without remedy for the deception of the Chicago house. The cover of the New York publication contains a trade-mark. It is intended and calculated by its appearance to indicate to purchasers, at a glance, the true authorship of the publication. To purloin the trade-mark is both a public and a private wrong. It deceives purchasers and injures the publishers and the author of the original publication. For every wrong accompanied by injury the law affords redress. The apparent purpose of the Chicago imitation is to induce purchasers to buy it under the supposition that they are purchasing a book by the popular author, Edward P. Roe. A Court of Equity will protect the owner of a trade-mark. If it be simulated by another so as to deceive the public, the simulated device will be restrained by injunction; and, in the same action, if injury has been done, damages may be recovered of the wrong-doer. The doctrine of the protection of trade-marks does not depend entirely upon invasion of individual rights, but upon the broad principle of protecting the public from deceit. Whether it be label, cover, device, or handbill—whatever is calculated to deceive the public and induce the belief that the article they are purchasing is not what it really is, but another thing—will be restrained by injunction, where another's right is invaded. This principle is well settled; and some of the authorities on the subject are collected in Matsell *v.* Flanagan, 2 Abbott's Practice Rep., N. S., 459, and Williams *v.* Spence, 25 How Prac. Rep., 366. To claim that the Chicago house can be justified in the procedure referred to would be to assert the right of one publisher or author to trade on the well-earned reputation and popularity of another by adopting a deceptive placard on a book. The cover that indicates the origin and authorship of a publication in a case so special and important should be protected from piracy; and the law in such cases, in my opinion, furnishes in a court of equity sufficient means of protection and redress.

OBITUARY.

MICHAEL R. GATELEY.

MICHAEL R. GATELEY, of the well-known book publishing firm of M. R. Gateley & Co., died at his summer residence on Jerusalem Road, Cohasset, Mass., July 26, after a brief illness. He was born in Dorchester about thirty-six years ago, and received his education in the schools of his native city. When quite young he entered a large book publishing house as a clerk. For nearly twenty years he has conducted the publishing business for himself, formerly as M. R. Gateley and later as M. R. Gateley & Co. Beginning with a small business, he constantly enlarged, until at the time of his death he was at the head of a large subscription-book business, the central house being located in Boston, with branch houses in Hartford, Providence, Albany, New York City, Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Chicago, St. Louis, San Francisco, Denver, and Galveston. He was a member of St. Joseph's parish, of Boston Highlands, and of the Catholic Union. He leaves a wife and two young children.

SOME CAMPAIGN BIOGRAPHIES.

Geo. Alfred Townsend ("Gath") in the Mail and Express.

"ABOUT the first campaign life written," said Mr. Townsend, "was for President Monroe. The father of Jacksonian simplicity had his life all written and carefully prepared before his nomination. A man named Howard wrote Van Buren's. The Harpers published a life of Calhoun about 1847, which was intended to make that gentleman President. The first great amount of campaign literature was during the Harrison campaign in 1840. There was a perfect avalanche of printing that year in the shape of lives and songs. The campaign songsters made their appearance and there were hundreds of different ones. When Polk ran against Clay in 1844 there were a large number of song-books. In 1848, when Cass and Butler opposed Taylor and Fillmore, a large number of lives and song-books were published. When Franklin Pierce ran for President, Nathaniel Hawthorne, who was then the first littérateur of his time, wrote Pierce's campaign life. It was the first time that a prominent writer had written on this subject. He was rewarded by a consulship to Liverpool, which was then the best office in the gift of the President. It was worth $30,000 a year, while the salary of the President was only $25,000 at that time. Mr. Hawthorne was made a comparatively rich man. Lincoln's famous debates with Douglas were compiled by Howell, who was then a Columbus, O., newspaper man. He was assisted by J. Q. Howard. The same man wrote the campaign life of ex-President Hayes. When Grant was nominated in 1868 the New York *Tribune* published his life in a special supplement. It was written by Whitelaw Reid, who was then a Washington correspondent of the Cincinnati *Commercial Gazette.* Mr. Reid had expressed certain views before and he reiterated them in the article. It was not such a campaign life as the National Committee wished, and they succeeded in suppressing the entire edition. Great things had been expected from it. The life of Tilden was written by a Utica newspaper man, who afterwards went crazy. William Dorsheimer wrote Cleveland's life and was made District Attorney of New York. Major Bundy, editor of the New York *Mail and Express*, wrote the campaign life of Garfield. John W. Forney wrote the life of Hancock. General Wallace will write about President Harrison, and you can learn all I know about Mr. Morton for a reasonable sum."

CURIOUS FACTS ABOUT BOOKBUYING CRANKS.

From the N. Y. Telegram.

"MORE cranks buy books than anything else," said a salesman in a well-known book-store yesterday.

"An old lady, well connected and rich, drops in here twice a week. She goes to the children's toy-book counter, selects a 'Robinson Crusoe' or a copy of the 'Arabian Nights,' then goes back and sits down on one of the benches in the rear of the store. She reads an hour, and falls asleep. Our society salesman politely wakes her up, and without any sign of confusion or embarrassment she selects several books, orders them sent to her residence, and departs.

"Another very good customer of ours is a maiden lady of advanced years with a fondness for animal stories. She buys the latest books about dogs, birds, and cats, and we scour the town to satisfy her whims.

"An old naval officer who for many years has been on the retired list, and whose white hair and closely buttoned frock-coat command respect, visits us every week for sea stories, famous naval battles, etc. He reads the book before buying, and generally stands in front of the store to get a good light. He has a habit of reverently lifting his hat and holding it a few inches above his head as he scans the pages. One of our clerks, who has been rude enough to look over his shoulder on several occasions, says that he lifts his hat whenever he comes to the name of an officer killed in battle.

"We have school-girl customers, who buy only novels by the 'Duchess' or 'Ouida;' clergymen who want only sporting and athletic books; doctors with a mania for books on cookery, and lawyers who never were known to pay for a legal work, but read every French novel published.

"The most curious customer of all is a little withered Southern lady, whose wrinkles indicate her age in the eighties. She sits in the rear of the store and reads, or pretends to read, any book that comes handy—Appletons' Encyclopedia or a bible. She continually rubs her gums, as if her teeth hurt her, after which she dozes and falls fast asleep. A salesman noticed her one day dipping a match stub in a little tin box of snuff, which she carried in her reticule. The secret was out. Our Southern customer was a 'snuff-dipper.'"

JOURNALISTIC NOTES.

THE Reform Club has begun, at 52 William St., N. Y., the publication of a semi-monthly journal of handy dimensions called *Tariff Reform.*

THE title of Henry James's latest story, the first part of which will appear in the forthcoming number of the *Universal Review*, is "The Lesson of the Master."

So great has been the success of *The Writer*, the Boston magazine for literary workers, that its publishers propose to enlarge it in January, at the beginning of the next volume, and to increase the price to $2 a year.

THE July issue of the *Westminister Review* (Leonard Scott Pub. Co.) has articles of cosmopolitan interest on "Nurses and Nursing," "Mental Deterioration: some of its avoidable causes," and "Characteristics of American Cities."

The Cosmopolitan Magazine, the publication of which was suspended last May, will soon be issued monthly by a new company. Mr. J. N. Hallock, of *The Christian at Work*, is a member of the new company, and the editorial department will be conducted by Mr. E. D. Walker.

The St. Louis Stationer, to be published quarterly by the St. Louis Stationer Co., of which R. Ennis is manager and G. T. Dunn secretary, opens in an enterprising manner. It is a large quarto of 24 pages, full of interesting and well-edited matter. We welcome the new-comer.

THE *Nineteenth Century* for July (Leonard Scott Pub. Co.) has a strong list of contributors. Gladstone treats of "The Elizabethan Settlement of Religion;" Frederick Harrison of "Picture Exhibitions;" Prof. Tyndall of "Our Lighthouses;" and the Bishop of Colombo of "Buddhism."

THE *Fortnightly Review* for July (Leonard Scott Pub. Co.) has articles on "The Boulangist Movement," by Henri Rochfort; "Miscellaneous Works of Ben Jonson," by Swinburne; "Lucian," by Andrew Lang; "Pawnbroking in England and Abroad," by F. Mabel Robinson; "Goethe in Italy," by Prof. Dowden; and "Ethics of Kant," by Herbert Spencer.

The Art Stationer the first issue of which has just been published by Wm. M. Patton, 25 S. 6th St., Phila., is decidedly the most artistic-looking trade journal that has thus far reached this office. The reading-matter is well written, the news crisp and full of information, and the paper and print exquisite. We are afraid, however, that it will prove too good to live long. To be published monthly at $2 per year.

The Public Service Review, which completed its first year as a weekly newspaper May 5, 1888, will hereafter be issued monthly, as a military and naval magazine, beginning with July. It will be published by the Barnegat Park management, and its new proprietors will, under agreement with the former owners, fill all unexpired subscriptions and advertisements in a manner to give reasonable satisfaction. The high standard already established by *The Public Service Review* in its professional, literary, and typographical features will be maintained.

THE last manuscript that came from the busy pen of the Rev. E. P. Roe (completed, indeed, only a day before his death) was an autobiographical sketch in which he gives many interesting anecdotes of his literary career. Taking as his title a phrase from one of Matthew Arnold's attacks on America, "A Native Author Called Roe," he improves the occasion to answer all unfriendly critics in a kindly and friendly way. The article gives a valuable insight into an exceptionally charming and generous character, and will warm many hearts towards the dead novelist. It will appear in the October number of *Lippincott's Magazine*, which will be a special "E. P. Roe number," containing this autobiography, his last story, "The Queen of Spades," and personal reminiscences by a friend and acquaintance.

BUSINESS NOTES.

BOSTON, MASS.—De Wolfe, Fiske & Co., Boston, have become the New England agents of Lovell's Library, the Boston office having been transferred to them, and they will in the future supply the trade.

BOSTON, MASS.—Moses King Corporation is the title of a new corporation of which Moses King is the directing spirit, with headquarters in the new Bay State Trust Co. Building on Boylston Street. They intend doing a general publishing business, and are preparing a "Handbook of Nahant," similar in design to Mr. King's other successful handbooks, which he still controls.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.—C. A. Leech & Co., booksellers and stationers, have been succeeded by Leech & Martin.

COLUMBUS, O.—Van Epps & Co., booksellers and stationers, have dissolved partnership.

DU BOIS, PA.—James F. Gaulin, bookseller, had his stock damaged by fire.

FORT WAYNE, IND.—Kiel Brothers, booksellers and stationers, have been succeeded by Renner, Cralstey & Co.

HUNTINGDON, PA.—We learn from the Huntingdon *Daily Local News*, that Mr. J. C. Blair, the manufacturing stationer in this place, has begun work on the enlargement of his present large building at the corner of 6th and Penn Streets. The new building will be 100 feet in front and extend back 88 feet, and will be six stories high, not counting the basement or attic, and the stories will be from 9 to 12 feet high. The total height of the structure will be 85 feet, the tallest and largest building, perhaps, between Philadelphia and Pittsburg. It will be built of hard brick, with brown-stone and terra-cotta trimmings, and will present a handsome, unique appearance. There will not be any plastering, the walls being painted and the ceilings of finished timbers. This new building will be connected with the five-story building (52 x 110 feet) erected in 1884 by a twenty foot connection joining the floors excepting the lower or basement floor, which is reserved for a general arched drive or entrance way into the inside court or open space. The style of architecture is somewhat after the new De Vinne building. No surplus of ornamentation; the beauty consists in solid and substantial brick and stone work, deep and large windows, bold and effective, without the elaborate details which tire both the eyes and the pocket-book.

TOLEDO, O.—Monfort & Baker, booksellers and stationers, have dissolved partnership.

URBANA, O.—R. J. Winder, bookseller and stationer, is dead.

LITERARY AND TRADE NOTES.

HOWARD PYLE'S stirring story of "Within the Capes" is about to be put in paper form at 50 cents by the Scribners.

A. H. SMYTHE, Columbus, O., has published a pamphlet description of "The Battle of Gettysburg," by Alfred E. Lee, illustrated with twenty full-page nature prints of the Ohio memorials on the great battlefield.

T. B. PETERSON & BROTHERS, Philadelphia, will not contribute to any trade-sale this fall, but offer to sell special bills of their books at special prices and on special terms from now until September 1, thus giving buyers the auctioneer's commission, etc.

LOTHROP'S *Summer Series*, in dainty white and gold paper covers at 25 cents, is proving immensely popular. Some of the most popular stories of the day are issued in this style. Messrs. Lothrop have nearly ready a bright boys' book, entitled "The Ring in the Cliff," by Frank West Rollins, a talented young lawyer of Concord, N. H.

THE August volume in the *Camelot Series* will be "English Prose from Maundeville to Thackeray," chosen by Arthur Galton; in the *Canterbury Poets*, "Elfin Music," edited by Arthur E. Waite; and in the *Great Writers*, "Life of Congreve," by Edmund Gosse, will appear. These various series are making something like a sensation in the publishing world. Thomas Whittaker is the American agent.

THE fiftieth volume has just been added to the *Yellow Paper Series* of the Scribners. No

collection of books put out in popular form, and at a low price, has so much to commend it to the public as this series. Its high standard has been universally kept, and the most famous and popular of our American authors have constantly been added to the list. The success of the series, for we are informed almost every book has been successful, is deserved.

KIRTLEY & PHILLIPS, Columbia, Mo., call the attention of the trade to a novelty in stationery in the shape of an envelope pad. The pad consists of twenty envelopes slightly secured together at the top, and arranged in tablet form, and can easily be removed one at a time. The tablet is enclosed in a case, consisting of a stiff board back and two hinged blotters, so that they will fold neatly one over the other, always be ready for use, and protect the tablet from dirt and dust. The tablet commends itself at once to those who are economical and neat.

THE BOK SYNDICATE PRESS, under the business management of Wm. J. Bok, has removed from 7 Murray St., N. Y., to more commodious quarters in 23 Park Row. Mr. Bok has made arrangements with a number of prominent writers for articles, stories, and contributions. The writers whose services have thus far been secured are: Grace Greenwood, Admiral Porter, Wilkie Collins, General John C. Frémont, Ella Wheeler Wilcox, Mrs. Gen. Lew Wallace, Rose Elizabeth Cleveland, Marion Harland, Max O'Rell, Anna Katharine Green, Jessie Benton Frémont, "The Duchess," Joaquin Miller, Mrs. Frank Leslie, Fanny Davenport, "Sydney Luska," Donald G. Mitchell ("Ik Marvel"), "Mrs. Alexander," Laura C. Holloway, Bill Nye, Augusta Evans Wilson, Helen Campbell, Dr. William A. Hammond, James Parton, Jenny June, William J. Florence, "Octave Thanet," B. P. Shillaber ("Mrs. Partington"), and Marietta Holley ("Josiah Allen's wife").

DODD, MEAD & Co. give the following figures as the sales of Mr. Roe's works in the cloth-covered editions: "Barriers Burned Away," in its sixty-ninth thousand; "What Can She Do?" in its forty-fifth thousand; "Opening a Chestnut Burr," in its sixty-ninth thousand; "Near to Nature's Heart," in its fifty-fourth thousand; "From Jest to Earnest," in its sixty-first thousand; "A Knight of the Nineteenth Century," in its fifty-fourth thousand; "A Face Illumined," in its fifty-third thousand; "A Day of Fate," in its fifty-second thousand; "Without a Home," in its sixtieth thousand; "His Sombre Rivals," in its forty-seventh thousand; "A Young Girl's Wooing," in its forty-second thousand; "An Original Belle," in its thirty-fifth thousand; "Driven Back to Eden," in its twenty-sixth thousand; "Nature's Serial Story," in its twenty-second thousand; "He Fell in Love with His Wife," in its thirty-fifth thousand; "The Earth Trembled," in its thirty-fifth thousand.

A BOOK entitled "Mary Queen of Scots' Library" will be published by Elliot Stock. It will give a list with biographical notes of the books which the Queen possessed and studied constantly.

CHATTO & WINDUS will publish at an early date a new edition of Miss A. Isaacs Menken's "Infelicia." It will contain a portrait and other illustrations, as well as a biographical preface, and a facsimile of the letter which Charles Dickens wrote to Miss Menken. The first edition of the book has been very scarce for a long period.

NEARLY $1500 have thus far been subscribed for the memorial to Mrs. Craik. The memorial is to take the form of a marble medallion in Tewkesbury Abbey, which was the place selected by Mrs. Craik as the home of "John Halifax, Gentleman," and which was the last place visited by her before her death. Subscriptions in the United States may be paid to Mr. Joseph Harper, of Harper & Bros.

BY command, Mr. Loftie's "Kensington: picturesque and historical," to be issued by subscription during the coming autumn, is dedicated to the Queen, which is the third work from the Leadenhall Press thus honored. Beautifully illustrated on every page, we learn that the production of this sumptuous work has already cost a large sum represented by four figures. Messrs. Scribner & Welford are to be the American publishers.

MR. GEORGE REDWAY, London, who has made a specialty of this class of literature, announces an "esoteric" series, to consist, for the most part, of reprints of old books dealing with alchemy, astrology, freemasonry, magic, and Rosicrucian mysticism. Among the first to appear will be the works of the anonymous cosmopolite philosopher, known as Eirenaeus Philalethes; and the "Lumen de Lumine" of Thomas Vaughan, who wrote under the name of Eugenius Philalethes.

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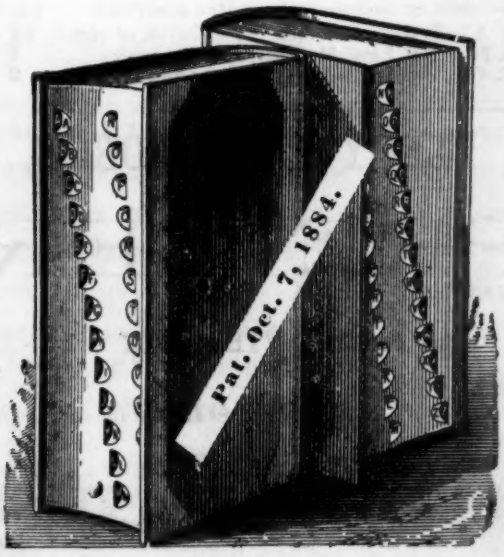

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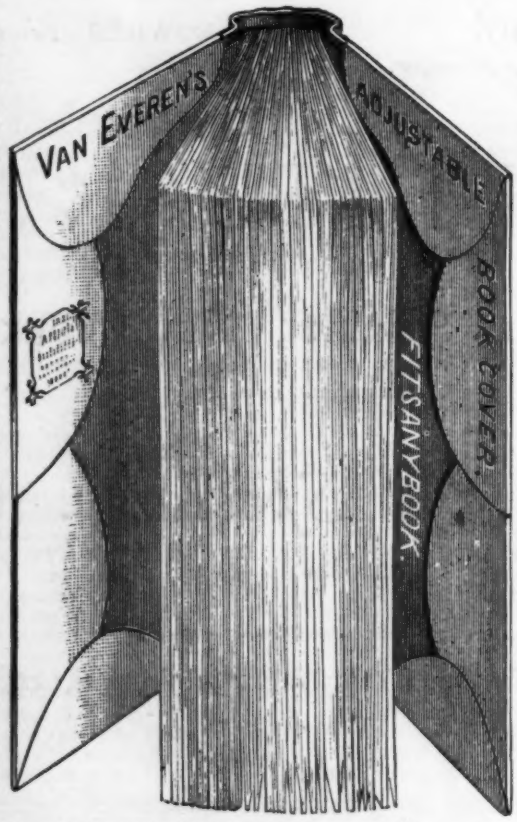

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